

## PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF AMYLOIDOGENIC DISEASE

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5           The invention provides improved agents and methods for treatment of diseases  
associated with amyloid deposits of A $\beta$  in the brain of a patient. Such methods entail  
administering agents that induce a beneficial immunogenic response against the amyloid  
deposit. The methods are useful for prophylactic and therapeutic treatment of Alzheimer's  
disease. Preferred agents including N-terminal fragments of A $\beta$  and antibodies binding to the  
10 same.

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